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**Robert H. Shemwell**  
Magistrate Judge (part-time)

Date of Birth: 1941  
Education: LSU 1963 BA, 1967 JD  
Began Service: April 4, 1984  
Political Affiliation: Republican

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, Western District of Louisiana, Department of Justice (1970-1975); Clerk of the Court (1975); Acting Clerk, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Western District of Louisiana (1986-1987)

**Legal Practice:** Seale, Smith, Baine & Phelps (1967-1970)

**Current Memberships:** Louisiana Bar Association; Shreveport Bar Association

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**Karen L. Hayes**  
Magistrate Judge (part-time)

Began Service: June 26, 1997

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**Stephen V. Callaway**  
Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1947  
Education: LSU 1970 BA, 1973 JD  
Began Service: August 9, 1986  
Term Expires: August 8, 2014

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Burnett, Sutton, Walker & Callaway (1973-1986)  
**Military Service:** United States Marine Corps Reserve

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**Gerald H. Schiff**  
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1941  
Education: LSU 1963 BS, 1967 JD  
Began Service: August 28, 1992  
Term Expires: August 27, 2006

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1969-1992)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1967-1969)

**Current Memberships:** American Bankruptcy Institute; Bankruptcy Bar Association of Southwest Louisiana; Louisiana State Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges; St. Landry Parish Bar Association

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**Henley A. Hunter**  
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1944  
Education: Arkansas 1966 BA; LSU 1969 JD  
Began Service: July 31, 1987  
Term Expires: July 30, 2014

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, Louisiana Court of Appeals, Second Circuit

**Legal Practice:** Eatman & Hunter (1970-1987)

**Current Memberships:** Alexandria Bar Association; American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; Louisiana State Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

**Chambers of District Judge D. Brock Hornby**

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**D. Brock Hornby**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1944  
Education: Western Ontario 1965 BA;  
Harvard 1969 JD  
Began Service: 1990  
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

**Academic:** Associate Professor, University of Virginia School of Law (1970-1974)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable John Minor Wisdom, United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit (1969-1970)

**Judicial:** Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the District of Maine (1982-1988); Associate Justice, Maine Supreme Judicial Court (1988-1990); Chief Judge, United States District Court for the District of Maine (1996-2003); Member, Judicial Conference of the United States (2000-2003); Chair, Committee on Court Administration and Case Management, Judicial Conference of the United States (1997-2000)

**Legal Practice:** Associate then Partner, Perkins, Thompson, Hinkley & Keddy (1974-1982)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation; American Law Institute; Cumberland County Bar Association; Maine Bar Foundation; Maine State Bar Association

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**The Honorable John Alden Woodcock, Jr.**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: July 6, 1950  
Education: Bowdoin 1972 BA; U London 1973 MA; Maine 1976 JD  
Began Service: June 27, 2003  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Affiliation:** Trustee, Bowdoin College

**Current Memberships:** John Ballou American Inn of Court

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**George Z. Singal**  
Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1945  
Education: Maine 1967 BA; Harvard 1970 JD  
Began Service: July 2000  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Gross, Minsky, Mogul and Singal (1970-1973); Partner, Gross, Minsky, Mogul and Singal (1973-2000)

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